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L2 ANSWER 1 OF 53 USPATFULL  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:127029 USPATFULL  
 TITLE: Circular DNA vectors for synthesis of RNA and DNA  
 INVENTOR(S): Kool, Eric T., Stanford, CA, UNITED STATES  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): University of Rochester, Rochester, NY, UNITED STATES  
 (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2003087241	A1	20030508

APPLICATION INFO.: US 2001-997931 A1 20011130 (9)  
 RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 2000-569344, filed  
 on 11 May 2000, GRANTED, Pat. No. US 6368802  
 Continuation of Ser. No. US 1997-805631, filed on 26  
 Feb 1997, GRANTED, Pat. No. US 6096880  
 Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1995-393439, filed  
 on 23 Feb 1995, GRANTED, Pat. No. US 5714320  
 Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1993-47860, filed  
 on 15 Apr 1993, ABANDONED

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility  
 FILE SEGMENT: APPLICATION  
 LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: MUETING, RAASCH & GEBHARDT, P.A., P.O. BOX 581415,  
 MINNEAPOLIS, MN, 55458

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 123  
 EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1  
 NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 21 Drawing Page(s)  
 LINE COUNT: 3888

AB The present invention provides methods for synthesis and therapeutic use  
 of DNA and RNA oligonucleotides and analogs. RNA oligonucleotides are  
 synthesized using a small, circular DNA template which lacks an RNA  
 polymerase promoter sequence. The RNA synthesis is performed by  
 combining a circular single-stranded oligonucleotide template with an  
 effective RNA polymerase and at least two types of ribonucleotide  
 triphosphate to form an RNA oligonucleotide multimer comprising multiple  
 copies of the desired RNA oligonucleotide sequence. Preferably, the RNA  
 oligonucleotide multimer is cleaved to produce RNA oligonucleotides  
 having well-defined ends. Preferred RNA oligonucleotide multimers  
 contain ribozymes capable of both cis (autolytic) and trans cleavage.

L2 ANSWER 2 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:127028 USPATFULL  
 TITLE: Methods and primers for detecting target nucleic acid  
 sequences  
 INVENTOR(S): Whitcombe, David Mark, Manchester, UNITED KINGDOM  
 Theaker, Jane, Macclesfield, UNITED KINGDOM  
 Gibson, Neil James, Macclesfield, UNITED KINGDOM  
 Little, Stephen, Manchester, UNITED KINGDOM  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Zeneca Limited (non-U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2003087240	A1	20030508
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 2001-974870	A1	20011012 (9)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Division of Ser. No. US 1998-200232, filed on 25 Nov 1998, GRANTED, Pat. No. US 6326145		

	NUMBER	DATE
PRIORITY INFORMATION:	GB 1998-12768	19980613
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	APPLICATION	
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	ROTHWELL, FIGG, ERNST & MANBECK, P.C., 1425 K STREET, N.W., SUITE 800, WASHINGTON, DC, 20005	
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	24	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	42 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	1058	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB A method for the detection of a target nucleic acid, which method  
 comprises contacting template nucleic acid from a sample with (i) a  
 signalling system and (ii) a tailed nucleic acid primer having a  
 template binding region and the tail comprising a linker and a target  
 binding region, in the presence of appropriate nucleoside triphosphates  
 and an agent for polymerization thereof, under conditions such that the

template binding region of the primer will hybridize to a complementary sequence in the template nucleic acid and be extended to form a primer extension product, separating any such product from the template whereupon the target binding region in the tail of the primer will hybridize to a sequence in the primer extension product corresponding to the target nucleic acid, and wherein any such target specific hybridization causes a detectable change in the signalling system, such that the presence or absence of the target nucleic acid in the sample is detected by reference to the presence or absence of a detectable change in the signalling system.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 3 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:106233 USPATFULL

TITLE: Compositions and methods for the therapy and diagnosis of pancreatic cancer

INVENTOR(S): Benson, Darin R., Seattle, WA, UNITED STATES  
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Lodes, Michael J., Seattle, WA, UNITED STATES  
Persing, David H., Redmond, WA, UNITED STATES  
Hepler, William T., Seattle, WA, UNITED STATES  
Jiang, Yuqiu, Kent, WA, UNITED STATES

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Corixa Corporation, Seattle, WA, UNITED STATES, 98104  
(U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2003073144	A1	20030417
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 2002-60036	A1	20020130 (10)

	NUMBER	DATE
PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 2001-333626P	20011127 (60)
	US 2001-305484P	20010712 (60)
	US 2001-265305P	20010130 (60)
	US 2001-267568P	20010209 (60)
	US 2001-313999P	20010820 (60)
	US 2001-291631P	20010516 (60)
	US 2001-287112P	20010428 (60)
	US 2001-278651P	20010321 (60)
	US 2001-265682P	20010131 (60)

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility

FILE SEGMENT: APPLICATION

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: SEED INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW GROUP PLLC, 701 FIFTH AVE, SUITE 6300, SEATTLE, WA, 98104-7092

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 17

EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1

LINE COUNT: 14253

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Compositions and methods for the therapy and diagnosis of cancer, particularly pancreatic cancer, are disclosed. Illustrative compositions comprise one or more pancreatic tumor polypeptides, immunogenic portions thereof, polynucleotides that encode such polypeptides, antigen presenting cell that expresses such polypeptides, and T cells that are specific for cells expressing such polypeptides. The disclosed compositions are useful, for example, in the diagnosis, prevention and/or treatment of diseases, particularly pancreatic cancer.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 4 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:100299 USPATFULL

TITLE: Methods for preparing oligonucleotides having chiral phosphorothioate linkages

INVENTOR(S): Ravikumar, Vasulinga T., Carlsbad, CA, UNITED STATES  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): ISIS Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2003069410	A1	20030410
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 2001-881535	A1	20010614 (9)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	APPLICATION		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Woodcock Washburn Kurtz, Mackiewicz & Norris LLP, 46th Floor, One Liberty Place, Philadelphia, PA, 19103		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	40		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	4 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	1859		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Methods are provided for preparing internucleotide phosphorothioate linkages that are enhanced in the Sp or Rp enantiomer comprising coupling a synthon with a 2'-substituted nucleoside in the presence of coupling agent that is selected to enhance either the Rp or Sp

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 5 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:71372 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Use of primers containing non-replicatable residues for improved cycle-sequencing of nucleic acids  
INVENTOR(S): Cherry, Joshua L., Cambridge, MA, UNITED STATES

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2003049657	A1	20030313
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 2002-147185	A1	20020515 (10)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Division of Ser. No. US 1999-438667, filed on 12 Nov 1999, ABANDONED		

	NUMBER	DATE
PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 1998-108345P	19981113 (60)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	APPLICATION	
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Joshua L. Cherry, 2102 Biological Laboratories, 16 Divinity Ave., Cambridge, MA, 02138	
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	13	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	8 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	934	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention provides primers for use in cycle sequencing which are not subject to exponential amplification of undesired artifacts. Such primers cannot be replicated by the nucleic acid polymerases used in these reactions and, therefore, do not produce artifacts. Methods of linear amplification of a nucleic acid template using such primers are also provided.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 6 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:64696 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Amplification using modified primers  
INVENTOR(S): Laird, Walter J., Pinole, CA, UNITED STATES  
Niemic, John T., San Leandro, CA, UNITED STATES

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PATENT INFORMATION: US 2003044817 A1 20030306  
APPLICATION INFO.: US 2001-83233 A1 20011024 (10)

	NUMBER	DATE
PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 2000-243182P	20001025 (60)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	APPLICATION	
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	PENNIE & EDMONDS LLP, COUNSELLORS AT LAW, 1155 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY, 10036-2711	
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	20	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
LINE COUNT:	1272	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention provides modified primers for use in the amplification of a nucleic acid sequence. Amplifications carried out using the modified primers result in less template-independent non-specific product (primer dimer) compared to amplifications carried out using unmodified primers.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 7 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:51101 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Modified oligonucleotides and methods for determining the presence of a nucleic acid analyte in a sample  
INVENTOR(S): Becker, Michael M., San Diego, CA, UNITED STATES  
Majlessi, Mehrdad, San Diego, CA, UNITED STATES  
Brentano, Steven T., Santee, CA, UNITED STATES

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2003036058	A1	20030220
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 2001-808558	A1	20010314 (9)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation of Ser. No. US 2000-565427, filed on 5 May 2000, PENDING Continuation of Ser. No. US 1997-893300, filed on 15 Jul 1997, GRANTED, Pat. No. US 6130038		

	NUMBER	DATE
PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 1996-21818P	19960716 (60)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	APPLICATION	
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	GEN PROBE INCORPORATED, 10210 GENETIC CENTER DRIVE, SAN DIEGO, CA, 92121	
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	421	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	9 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	4476	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention concerns oligonucleotides containing one or more modified nucleotides which increase the binding affinity of the oligonucleotides to target nucleic acids having a complementary nucleotide base sequence. These modified oligonucleotides hybridize to the target sequence at a faster rate than unmodified oligonucleotides having an identical nucleotide base sequence. Such modified oligonucleotides include oligonucleotides containing at least one 2'-O-methylribofuranosyl moiety joined to a nitrogenous base. Oligonucleotides can be modified in accordance with the present invention to preferentially bind RNA targets. The present invention also concerns methods of using these modified oligonucleotides and kits containing the same.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 8 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:44706 USPATFULL

TITLE: Detection of nucleic acid sequence differences using coupled ligase detection and polymerase chain reactions

INVENTOR(S): Barany, Francis, New York, NY, UNITED STATES  
Lubin, Matthew, Rye Brook, NY, UNITED STATES  
Belgrader, Phillip, Manteca, CA, UNITED STATES

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2003032016	A1	20030213
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 2001-918156	A1	20010730 (9)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation of Ser. No. US 1999-440523, filed on 15 Nov 1999, PATENTED Division of Ser. No. US 1997-864473, filed on 28 May 1997, PATENTED		

	NUMBER	DATE
PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 1996-18532P	19960529 (60)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	APPLICATION	
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Michael L. Goldman, NIXON PEABODY LLP, Clinton Square, P.O. Box 31051, Rochester, NY, 14603	
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	54	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	29 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	4257	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention relates to the detection of nucleic acid sequence differences using coupled ligase detection reaction and polymerase chain reaction. One aspect of the present invention involves use of a ligase detection reaction coupled to a polymerase chain reaction. Another aspect of the present invention relates to the use of a primary polymerase chain reaction coupled to a secondary polymerase chain reaction coupled to a ligase detection reaction. A third aspect of the present invention involves a primary polymerase chain reaction coupled to a secondary polymerase chain reaction. Such coupling of the ligase detection reaction and the polymerase chain reaction permits multiplex detection of nucleic acid sequence differences.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 9 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:4083 USPATFULL

TITLE: Nucleotide triphosphates and their incorporation into oligonucleotides

INVENTOR(S): Beigelman, Leonid, Longmont, CO, UNITED STATES  
Burgin, Alex, San Diego, CA, UNITED STATES  
Beaudry, Amber, Denver, CO, UNITED STATES  
Karpeisky, Alexander, Lafayette, CO, UNITED STATES  
Matulic-Adamic, Jasenka, Boulder, CO, UNITED STATES  
Sweedler, David, Louisville, CO, UNITED STATES  
Zinnen, Shawn, Denver, CO, UNITED STATES

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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2003004122	A1	20030102
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 2001-825805	A1	20010404 (9)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 2000-578223, filed on 23 May 2000, PENDING Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1999-476387, filed on 30 Dec 1999, PENDING Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1999-474432, filed on 29 Dec 1999, PENDING Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1999-301511, filed on 28 Apr 1999, PENDING Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1998-186675, filed		

on 4 Nov 1998, GRANTED, Pat. No. US 6127535

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PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 1998-83727P	19980429 (60)
	US 1997-64866P	19971105 (60)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	APPLICATION	
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	MCDONNELL BOEHNEN HULBERT & BERGHOFF, 300 SOUTH WACKER DRIVE, SUITE 3200, CHICAGO, IL, 60606	
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	90	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	33 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	5252	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention relates to novel nucleotide triphosphates, methods of synthesis and process of incorporating these nucleotide triphosphates into oligonucleotides, and isolation of novel nucleic acid catalysts (e.g., ribozymes or DNazymes). Also, provided are the use of novel enzymatic nucleic acid molecules to inhibit HER2/neu/ErbB2 gene expression and their applications in human therapy.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 10 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:60295 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Synthetic ribonucleic acids with RNase activity  
INVENTOR(S): Beigelman, Leonid, Broomfield, CO, United States  
Burgin, Alex, Chula Vista, CA, United States  
Beaudry, Amber, Broomfield, CO, United States  
Karpeisky, Alexander, Lafayette, CO, United States  
Matulic-Adamic, Jasenka, Boulder, CO, United States  
Sweedler, David, Louisville, CO, United States  
Zinnen, Shawn, Denver, CO, United States  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Ribozyme Pharmaceuticals, incorporated, Boulder, CO, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6528640	B1	20030304
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1999-474432		19991229 (9)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1999-301511, filed on 28 Apr 1999 Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1998-186675, filed on 4 Nov 1998, now patented, Pat. No. US 6127535		

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	US 1997-64866P	19971105 (60)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
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PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Geist, Gary	
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Crane, L. E.	
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	McDonnell Boehnen Hulbert & Berghoff	
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	3	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1,2	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	23 Drawing Figure(s); 21 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	3964	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Novel nucleotide triphosphates, methods of synthesis and process of incorporating these nucleotide triphosphates into oligonucleotides, and isolation of novel nucleic acid catalysts (e.g., ribozymes) are disclosed. Also, described are the use of novel enzymatic nucleic acid molecules to inhibit HER2/neu/ErbB2 gene expression and their



applications in human therapy.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 11 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:314651 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Compositions and methods for detecting human  
immunodeficiency virus 2 (HIV-2)  
INVENTOR(S): Yang, Yeasing Y., San Diego, CA, UNITED STATES  
Burrell, Terrie A., San Diego, CA, UNITED STATES

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2002177127	A1	20021128
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 2001-1407	A1	20011022 (10)

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PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 2000-242620P	20001023 (60)
	US 2001-280058P	20010330 (60)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	APPLICATION	
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	GEN PROBE INCORPORATED, 10210 GENETIC CENTER DRIVE, SAN DIEGO, CA, 92121	
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	56	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	1 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	2196	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Compositions and methods for synthesizing and detecting HIV-2 specific  
amplicons. Particularly described are oligonucleotides that are useful  
as hybridization probes, and amplification primers that facilitate  
detection of very low levels of HIV-2 nucleic acids.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 12 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:272801 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Compositions and methods for the therapy and diagnosis  
of colon cancer  
INVENTOR(S): Stolk, John A., Bothell, WA, UNITED STATES  
Xu, Jiangchun, Bellevue, WA, UNITED STATES  
Chenault, Ruth A., Seattle, WA, UNITED STATES  
Meagher, Madeleine Joy, Seattle, WA, UNITED STATES  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Corixa Corporation, Seattle, WA, UNITED STATES, 98104  
(U.S. corporation)

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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2002150922	A1	20021017
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 2001-998598	A1	20011116 (9)

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PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 2001-304037P	20010710 (60)
	US 2001-279670P	20010328 (60)
	US 2001-267011P	20010206 (60)
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DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	APPLICATION	
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	SEED INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW GROUP PLLC, 701 FIFTH AVE, SUITE 6300, SEATTLE, WA, 98104-7092	
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	17	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
LINE COUNT:	9233	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Compositions and methods for the therapy and diagnosis of cancer, particularly colon cancer, are disclosed. Illustrative compositions comprise one or more colon tumor polypeptides, immunogenic portions thereof, polynucleotides that encode such polypeptides, antigen presenting cell that expresses such polypeptides, and T cells that are specific for cells expressing such polypeptides. The disclosed compositions are useful, for example, in the diagnosis, prevention and/or treatment of diseases, particularly colon cancer.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 13 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:243051 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Compositions and methods for the therapy and diagnosis of ovarian cancer  
INVENTOR(S): Algate, Paul A., Issaquah, WA, UNITED STATES  
Jones, Robert, Seattle, WA, UNITED STATES  
Harlocker, Susan L., Seattle, WA, UNITED STATES  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Corixa Corporation, Seattle, WA, UNITED STATES, 98104 (U.S. corporation)

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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2002132237	A1	20020919
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 2001-867701	A1	20010529 (9)

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PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 2000-207484P	20000526 (60)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	APPLICATION	
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	SEED INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW GROUP PLLC, 701 FIFTH AVE, SUITE 6300, SEATTLE, WA, 98104-7092	
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	11	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
LINE COUNT:	25718	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Compositions and methods for the therapy and diagnosis of cancer, particularly ovarian cancer, are disclosed. Illustrative compositions comprise one or more ovarian tumor polypeptides, immunogenic portions thereof, polynucleotides that encode such polypeptides, antigen presenting cell that expresses such polypeptides, and T cells that are specific for cells expressing such polypeptides. The disclosed compositions are useful, for example, in the diagnosis, prevention and/or treatment of diseases, particularly ovarian cancer.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 14 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:171872 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Combinatorial probes and uses therefor  
INVENTOR(S): Gibbs, Mark John, Curtin, AUSTRALIA  
Gibbs, Adrian John, Yarralumla, AUSTRALIA  
Brown, Roger William, O'Connor, AUSTRALIA  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): The Australian National University, Acton, AUSTRALIA (non-U.S. corporation)

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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2002090621	A1	20020711
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 2001-916808	A1	20010727 (9)

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PRIORITY INFORMATION: AU 2000-9026 20000727  
AU 2000-9483 20000817  
US 2000-226212P 20000818 (60)  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility  
FILE SEGMENT: APPLICATION  
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: AKIN, GUMP, STRAUSS, HAUER & FELD, L.L.P., ONE COMMERCE  
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NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 33  
EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1  
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 13 Drawing Page(s)  
LINE COUNT: 2118  
CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB A set of oligonucleotide probes and method are disclosed for detecting a plurality of different target polynucleotides. The set includes a collection of different promiscuous probes each of which is capable of hybridizing to a target sequence shared between at least two of the target polynucleotides. At least one target polynucleotide comprises at least one target sequence that is shared with one or more other target polynucleotides. A predefined combination of promiscuous probes is capable of hybridizing to target sequences of said at least one target polynucleotide, wherein said predefined combination of probes provides specificity of detection of that target polynucleotide. Also disclosed are processes of identifying a set of target sequences for designing the set of oligonucleotide probes of the invention.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 15 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:133961 USPATFULL  
TITLE: HPV-SPECIFIC OLIGONUCLEOTIDES  
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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2002068820	A1	20020606
	US 6509149	B2	20030121
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1995-471974	A1	19950606 (8)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	APPLICATION		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Dike, Bronstein, Roberts & Cushman, Intellectual Property Practice Group, EDWARDS & ANGELL, P, O. Box 9169, BOSTON, MA, 02209		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	119		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	12 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	1708		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention discloses synthetic oligonucleotides complementary to a nucleic acid spanning the translational start site of human papillomavirus gene E1, and including at least 15 nucleotides. Also disclosed are methods and kits for inhibiting the replication of HPV, for inhibiting the expression of HPV nucleic acid and protein, for detection of HPV, and for treating HPV infections.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 16 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:340247 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Methods and compositions for cDNA synthesis  
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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6498025	B1	20021224
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1994-227476		19940414 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation of Ser. No. US 1992-989851, filed on 9 Dec 1992, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	GRANTED		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Myers, Carla J.		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Weseman, Esq., James C., The Law Offices of James C. Weseman		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	69		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	12 Drawing Figure(s); 12 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	2513		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Methods and compositions for synthesizing cDNA in vivo are disclosed, wherein a synthetic polynucleotide molecule which anneals in vivo to an RNA template molecule is utilized as a primer for reverse transcriptase in vivo.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 17 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:304068 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Nucleoside triphosphates and their incorporation into oligonucleotides  
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	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6482932	B1	20021119
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1999-301511		19990428 (9)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1998-186675, filed on 4 Nov 1998, now patented, Pat. No. US 6127535		

	NUMBER	DATE
PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 1998-83727P	19980429 (60)
	US 1997-64866P	19971105 (60)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	GRANTED	
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Richter, Johann	
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Crane, Lawrence E	
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	McDonnell Boehnen Hulbert & Berghoff	
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	20	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	8 Drawing Figure(s); 9 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	2639	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Novel nucleotide triphosphates, methods of synthesis and process of

incorporating these nucleotide triphosphates into oligonucleotides, and isolation of novel nucleic acid catalysts (e.g., ribozymes) are disclosed.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 18 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:268860 USPATFULL

TITLE: Compounds for immunotherapy of prostate cancer and methods for their use

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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6465611	B1	20021015
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1999-232149		19990115 (9)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1998-159812, filed on 23 Sep 1998 Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1998-115453, filed on 14 Jul 1998 Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1998-30607, filed on 25 Feb 1998, now patented, Pat. No. US 6262245 Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1998-20956, filed on 9 Feb 1998, now patented, Pat. No. US 6261562 Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1997-904804, filed on 1 Aug 1997, now abandoned Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1997-806099, filed on 25 Feb 1997, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	GRANTED		
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ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Kim, Young		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	SEED Law Group PLLC		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	6		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	6 Drawing Figure(s); 4 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	6495		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Compounds and methods for treating prostate cancer are provided. The inventive compounds include polypeptides containing at least a portion of a prostate tumor protein. Vaccines and pharmaceutical compositions for immunotherapy of prostate cancer comprising such polypeptides, or DNA molecules encoding such polypeptides, are also provided, together with DNA molecules for preparing the inventive polypeptides.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 19 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:75203 USPATFULL

TITLE: Circular DNA vectors for synthesis of RNA and DNA

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PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): University of Rochester, Rochester, NY, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6368802	B1	20020409
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 2000-569344		20000511 (9)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation of Ser. No. US 1997-805631, filed on 26 Feb 1997, now patented, Pat. No. US 6096880 Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1995-393439, filed on 23 Feb 1995, now patented, Pat. No. US 5714320 Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1993-47860, filed		

on 15 Apr 1993, now abandoned  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility  
FILE SEGMENT: GRANTED  
PRIMARY EXAMINER: McGarry, Sean  
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Muetting, Raasch & Gebhardt, P.A.  
NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 31  
EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1  
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 8 Drawing Figure(s); 6 Drawing Page(s)  
LINE COUNT: 2896

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention provides methods for synthesis and therapeutic use of DNA and RNA oligonucleotides and analogs. RNA oligonucleotides are synthesized using a small, circular DNA template which lacks an RNA polymerase promoter sequence. The RNA synthesis is performed by combining a circular single-stranded oligonucleotide template with an effective RNA polymerase and at least two types of ribonucleotide triphosphate to form an RNA oligonucleotide multimer comprising multiple copies of the desired RNA oligonucleotide sequence. Preferably, the RNA oligonucleotide multimer is cleaved to produce RNA oligonucleotides having well-defined ends. Preferred RNA oligonucleotide multimers contain ribozymes capable of both cis (autolytic) and trans cleavage.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 20 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:57574 USPATFULL  
TITLE: In vitro ribosome evolution  
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PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD, United States (U.S. corporation)

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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6358713	B1	20020319
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 2000-547537		20000412 (9)

	NUMBER	DATE
PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 1999-128848P	19990412 (60)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	GRANTED	
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Campbell, Eggerton A.	
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NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	19	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	8 Drawing Figure(s); 5 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	984	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Methods for selecting rRNA variants that catalyze formation of non-standard polymers are described.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 21 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:123391 USPATFULL  
TITLE: HPV-SPECIFIC OLIGONUCLEOTIDES  
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GOODCHILD, JOHN, WESTBOROUGH, MA, United States  
WOLFE, JIA L., SOMERVILLE, MA, United States  
KILKUSKIE, ROBERT E., SHREWSBURY, MA, United States  
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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2001010899	A1	20010802
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APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-887497	A1	19970702 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1995-471974, filed on 6 Jun 1995, PENDING		

	NUMBER	DATE
PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 1996-21041P	19960702 (60)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	APPLICATION	
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NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	44	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	12 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	2758	
CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.		
AB	The present invention discloses synthetic oligonucleotides complementary to a nucleic acid spanning the translational start site of human papillomavirus gene E1, and including at least 15 nucleotides. Also disclosed are methods and kits for inhibiting the replication of HPV, for inhibiting the expression of HPV nucleic acid and protein, for detection of HPV, and for treating HPV infections.	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 22 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:220832 USPATFULL

TITLE: Methods for detecting target nucleic acid sequences

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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6326145	B1	20011204
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1998-200232		19981125 (9)

	NUMBER	DATE
PRIORITY INFORMATION:	GB 1998-12768	19980613
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	GRANTED	
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Fredman, Jeffrey	
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Tung, Joyce	
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Rothwell, Figg, Ernst & Manbeck	
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	9	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	42 Drawing Figure(s); 42 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	972	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB A method for the detection of a target nucleic acid, which method comprises contacting template nucleic acid from a sample with (i) a signalling system and (ii) a tailed nucleic acid primer having a template binding region and the tail comprising a linker and a target binding region, in the presence of appropriate nucleoside triphosphates and an agent for polymerization thereof, under conditions such that the template binding region of the primer will hybridize to a complementary sequence in the template nucleic acid and be extended to form a primer

extension product, separating any such product from the template whereupon the target binding region in the tail of the primer will hybridize to a sequence in the primer extension product corresponding to the target nucleic acid, and wherein any such target specific hybridization causes a detectable change in the signalling system, such that the presence or absence of the target nucleic acid in the sample is detected by reference to the presence or absence of a detectable change in the signalling system.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 23 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:121255 USPATFULL

TITLE: Detection of nucleic acid sequence differences using coupled ligase detection and polymerase chain reactions

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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6268148	B1	20010731
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1999-440523		19991115 (9)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Division of Ser. No. US 1997-864473, filed on 28 May 1997, now patented, Pat. No. US 6027889		

	NUMBER	DATE
PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 1996-18532P	19960529 (60)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	GRANTED	
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Horlick, Kenneth R.	
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Nixon Peabody LLP	
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	26	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	23	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	45 Drawing Figure(s); 29 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	3653	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention relates to the detection of nucleic acid sequence differences using coupled ligase detection reaction and polymerase chain reaction. One aspect of the present invention involves use of a ligase detection reaction coupled to a polymerase chain reaction. Another aspect of the present invention relates to the use of a primary polymerase chain reaction coupled to a secondary polymerase chain reaction coupled to a ligase detection reaction. A third aspect of the present invention involves a primary polymerase chain reaction coupled to a secondary polymerase chain reaction. Such coupling of the ligase detection reaction and the polymerase chain reaction permits multiplex detection of nucleic acid sequence differences.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 24 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:82916 USPATFULL

TITLE: Synthesis of sulfurized 2'-substituted oligonucleotides

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PATENT INFORMATION: US 6242591 B1 20010605  
APPLICATION INFO.: US 2000-481486 20000111 (9)  
RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1997-950779, filed  
on 15 Oct 1997, now patented, Pat. No. US 6114519  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility  
FILE SEGMENT: Granted  
PRIMARY EXAMINER: Geist, Gary  
ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Crane, L. E.  
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Woodcock Washburn Kurtz Mackiewicz & Norris LLP  
NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 19  
EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1  
LINE COUNT: 774

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Methods for the formation of sulfurized oligonucleotides are provided.  
The methods allow for the formation of phosphorothioate linkages in the  
oligonucleotides or derivatives, without the need for complex solvent  
mixtures and repeated washing or solvent changes. Oligonucleotides  
having from about 8, and up to about 50, nucleotides can be sulfuized  
according to the methods of the invention with higher yields than have  
been previously reported.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 25 OF 53 EMBASE COPYRIGHT 2003 ELSEVIER SCI. B.V.DUPLICATE 1  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002082906 EMBASE  
TITLE: Mapping 2'-O-methyl groups in ribosomal RNA.  
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SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

AB Ribosomal RNAs (rRNAs) from all sources contain modified nucleosides,  
whose numbers range from a few in mitochondrial rRNA to more than 200 in  
the complete rRNAs of some higher eukaryotes. In eukaryotic rRNA the great  
majority of modified nucleosides are 2'-O-methylated nucleosides or  
pseudouridines. The locations of most of the 2'-O-methylated nucleosides  
in rRNA from some representative eukaryotes are known from studies whose  
aim was full characterization of rRNA methylation. More recently, and  
particularly in connection with the discovery of methylation guide RNAs,  
it is often required to check for the presence or absence of 2'-  
**O-methyl** nucleosides at specified locations within rRNA.  
Three methods that can be applied for such "local" objectives are  
reviewed. Two of the methods are based on **primer** extension by  
reverse transcriptase. They exploit, respectively, a tendency of 2'  
-**O-methyl** groups to impede reverse transcriptase at  
low dNTP concentrations, or the resistance of phosphodiester bonds  
adjacent to 2'-**O-methyl** groups to alkaline  
hydrolysis. Examples of these methods are summarized. Although the two  
methods are relatively straightforward, they suffer from various  
experimental limitations, as discussed. The third method is technically  
more sophisticated but is capable of overcoming the limitations of the  
first two methods. It is based on the resistance of a target  
2'-O-methylated site to cleavage by RNase H when the site is hybridized to  
an appropriate chimeric oligonucleotide. An overview of the approaches and  
methods now available for the complete mapping of 2'-**O**  
-**methyl** groups in rRNA is presented. .COPYRGHT. 2001 Elsevier

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L2 ANSWER 26 OF 53 MEDLINE DUPLICATE 2  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002036235 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 21604182 PubMed ID: 11763347  
TITLE: Inhibition of HIV-1 replication in vitro and in human  
infected cells by modified antisense oligonucleotides  
targeting the tRNA<sup>Lys</sup>3/RNA initiation complex.  
AUTHOR: Freund F; Boulme F; Michel J; Ventura M; Moreau S; Litvak S  
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SOURCE: ANTISENSE AND NUCLEIC ACID DRUG DEVELOPMENT, (2001 Oct) 11  
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PUB. COUNTRY: United States  
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AB The untranslated 5' leader region of the human immunodeficiency virus type 1 (HIV-1) RNA plays an essential role in retroviral replication. It is the first retrotranscribed RNA region, primed from a cellular tRNA<sup>Lys</sup>3 partially annealed to the HIV-1 primer binding site (PBS). The structural and functional features of the HIV-1 reverse transcription initiation complex have been thoroughly studied. In this work, we used chemically modified antisense oligonucleotides (AS-ODN) as competitors of the natural tRNA<sup>Lys</sup>3 primer for the PBS region. Modified 2'-O-methyl AS-ODN were able to inhibit in vitro HIV-1 reverse transcription and displace the tRNA<sup>Lys</sup>3 previously annealed to the PBS. The destabilization of the initiation complex by 2'-O-methyl ODN was a sequence-specific process. We further demonstrated the importance of an anchor region contiguous to the PBS in the annealing of the antisense molecule, allowing the displacement of tRNA<sup>Lys</sup>3. The 20-mer 2'-O-methyl molecules were also able to inhibit viral replication in HIV-1-human infected cells, either by blocking cDNA synthesis during the early phase or by interfering with the annealing of the tRNA<sup>Lys</sup>3 primer to the PBS during the late phase of the viral cycle. Thus, the highly conserved retroviral initiation complex was shown to be a promising target when using the antisense strategy.

L2 ANSWER 27 OF 53 USPATFULL  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:142135 USPATFULL  
TITLE: De novo polynucleotide synthesis using rolling  
templates  
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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6136568		20001024
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-929856		19970915 (8)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Riley, Jezia		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Lerner, David, Littenberg, Krumholz & Mentlik, LLP		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	41		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	1 Drawing Figure(s); 1 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	2778		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Disclosed is a method for synthesizing polynucleotide molecules such as

genes or gene segments. A primer having 5' and 3' ends is incubated with a relatively shorter template having a 5' region non-complementary to the primer, a 3' region complementary to the 3' end of the primer, and a non-reactive 3' terminus to allow the 3' region of the template to anneal to the primer. The annealed product is reacted with at least one nucleotide in the presence of a template-dependent polynucleotide polymerase to produce a primer extended at its 3' end by at least one nucleotide complementary to the 5' region of the template. The extended primer is then dissociated from the template. The extended primer is further extended by repeating this cycle for sufficient cycles, wherein the templates and enzymes may differ from cycle to cycle, to obtain the object polynucleotide. Also disclosed are template libraries and kits containing said libraries for use in conjunction with the polynucleotide synthesis method.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 28 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:134705 USPATFULL

TITLE: Method for amplifying target nucleic acids using modified primers

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PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Gen-Probe Incorporated, San Diego, CA, United States (U.S. corporation)

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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6130038		20001010
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-893300		19970715 (8)

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PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 1996-21818P	19960716 (60)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted	
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Elliott, George C.	
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Shibuya, Mark L.	
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Cappellari, Charles B., Fisher, Carlos A.	
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	15	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	9 Drawing Figure(s); 9 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	2602	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention concerns oligonucleotides containing one or more modified nucleotides which increase the binding affinity of the oligonucleotides to target nucleic acids having a complementary nucleotide base sequence. These modified oligonucleotides hybridize to the target sequence at a faster rate than unmodified oligonucleotides having an identical nucleotide base sequence. Such modified oligonucleotides include oligonucleotides containing at least one 2'-O-methylribofuranosyl moiety joined to a nitrogenous base. Oligonucleotides can be modified in accordance with the present invention to preferentially bind RNA targets. The present invention also concerns methods of using these modified oligonucleotides and kits containing the same.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 29 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:121279 USPATFULL

TITLE: Nucleic acid amplification oligonucleotides with molecular energy transfer labels and methods based thereon

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corporation)

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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6117635		20000912
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-837034		19970411 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1997-778487, filed on 3 Jan 1997, now patented, Pat. No. US 5866336 which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1996-683667, filed on 16 Jul 1996, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Marschel, Ardin H.		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Tung, Joyce		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Foley & Lardner		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	104		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	30 Drawing Figure(s); 39 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	4107		
CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.			

AB The present invention provides labeled nucleic acid amplification oligonucleotides, which can be linear or hairpin primers or blocking oligonucleotides. The oligonucleotides of the invention are labeled with donor and/or acceptor moieties of molecular energy transfer pairs. The moieties can be fluorophores, such that fluorescent energy emitted by the donor is absorbed by the acceptor. The acceptor may be a fluorophore that fluoresces at a wavelength different from the donor moiety, or it may be a quencher. The oligonucleotides of the invention are configured so that a donor moiety and an acceptor moiety are incorporated into the amplification product. The invention also provides methods and kits for directly detecting amplification products employing the nucleic acid amplification primers. When labeled linear primers are used, treatment with exonuclease or by using specific temperature eliminates the need for separation of unincorporated primers. This "closed-tube" format greatly reduces the possibility of carryover contamination with amplification products, provides for high throughput of samples, and may be totally automated.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 30 OF 53 USPATFULL  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:98562 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Circular DNA vectors for synthesis of RNA and DNA  
INVENTOR(S): Kool, Eric T., Rochester, NY, United States  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): University of Rochester, Rochester, NY, United States  
(U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6096880		20000801
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-805631		19970226 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1995-393439, filed on 23 Feb 1995, now patented, Pat. No. US 5714320 which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1993-47860, filed on 15 Apr 1993, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Elliot, George C.		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	McGarry, Sean		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Muetting, Raasch & Gebhardt, P.A.		

NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 31  
EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1  
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 8 Drawing Figure(s); 6 Drawing Page(s)  
LINE COUNT: 3103

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention provides methods for synthesis, and therapeutic use of DNA and RNA oligonucleotides and analogs. RNA oligonucleotides are synthesized using a small, circular DNA template which lacks an RNA polymerase promoter sequence. The RNA synthesis is performed by combining a circular single-stranded oligonucleotide template with an effective RNA polymerase and at least two types of ribonucleotide triphosphate to form an RNA oligonucleotide multimer comprising multiple copies of the desired RNA oligonucleotide sequence. Preferably, the RNA oligonucleotide multimer is cleaved to produce RNA oligonucleotides having well-defined ends. Preferred RNA oligonucleotide multimers contain ribozymes capable of both cis (autolytic) and trans cleavage.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 31 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:91707 USPATFULL

TITLE: Nucleic acid amplification oligonucleotides with molecular energy transfer labels and methods based thereon

INVENTOR(S): Nazarenko, Irina A., Gaithersburg, MD, United States  
Bhatnagar, Satish K., Gaithersburg, MD, United States  
Winn-Deen, Emily S., Potomac, MD, United States  
Hohman, Robert J., Gaithersburg, MD, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Intergen Company, Purchase, NY, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6090552		20000718
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-891516		19970711 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1997-837034, filed on 11 Apr 1997 which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1997-778487, filed on 3 Jan 1997, now patented, Pat. No. US 5866336 which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1996-683667, filed on 16 Jul 1996, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Marschel, Ardin H.		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Tung, Joyce		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Foley & Lardner		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	103		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	38 Drawing Figure(s); 48 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	4617		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention provides labeled nucleic acid amplification oligonucleotides, which can be linear or hairpin primers or blocking oligonucleotides. The oligonucleotides of the invention are labeled with donor and/or acceptor moieties of molecular energy transfer pairs. The moieties can be fluorophores, such that fluorescent energy emitted by the donor is absorbed by the acceptor. The acceptor may be a fluorophore that fluoresces at a wavelength different from the donor moiety, or it may be a quencher. The oligonucleotides of the invention are configured so that a donor moiety and an acceptor moiety are incorporated into the amplification product. The invention also provides methods and kits for directly detecting amplification products employing the nucleic acid amplification primers. When labeled linear primers are used, treatment with exonuclease or by using specific temperature eliminates the need for separation of unincorporated primers. This "closed-tube" format

greatly reduces the possibility of carryover contamination with amplification products, provides for high throughput of samples, and may be totally automated.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 32 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:77184 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Highly sensitive multimeric nucleic acid probes  
INVENTOR(S): Kool, Eric T., Rochester, NY, United States  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): University of Rochester, Rochester, NY, United States  
(U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6077668		20000620
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-910632		19970813 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1997-805631, filed on 26 Feb 1997 And Ser. No. US 1995-393439, filed on 23 Feb 1995, now patented, Pat. No. US 5714320, issued on 3 Feb 1998 which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1993-47860, filed on 15 Apr 1993, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Brusca, John S.		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	McGarry, Sean		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Mueting, Raasch & Gebhardt, P.A.		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	66		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	8 Drawing Figure(s); 8 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	3477		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention provides detectably labeled RNA and DNA oligonucleotide multimers useful as diagnostic probes in medical, biological and chemical applications. A method for synthesizing DNA and RNA oligonucleotides, oligonucleotide multimers, and analogs, preferably those that are detectably labeled, is also provided. Oligonucleotide synthesis is performed by combining a circular single-stranded oligonucleotide template with an effective polymerase and at least two types of nucleotide triphosphate, without the addition of auxiliary proteins, to yield an oligonucleotide multimer comprising multiple copies of a repeated oligonucleotide sequence.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 33 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:21383 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Detection of nucleic acid sequence differences using coupled ligase detection and polymerase chain reactions  
INVENTOR(S): Barany, Francis, New York, NY, United States  
Lubin, Matthew, Rye Brook, NY, United States  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Cornell Research Foundation, Inc., Ithaca, NY, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6027889		20000222
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-864473		19970528 (8)

	NUMBER	DATE
PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 1996-18532P	19960529 (60)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted	
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Horlick, Kenneth R.	

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Nixon, Hargrave, Devans & Doyle LLP  
NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 28  
EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1  
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 45 Drawing Figure(s); 29 Drawing Page(s)  
LINE COUNT: 4414

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention relates to the detection of nucleic acid sequence differences using coupled ligase detection reaction and polymerase chain reaction. One aspect of the present invention involves use of a ligase detection reaction coupled to a polymerase chain reaction. Another aspect of the present invention relates to the use of a primary polymerase chain reaction coupled to a secondary polymerase chain reaction coupled to a ligase detection reaction. A third aspect of the present invention involves a primary polymerase chain reaction coupled to a secondary polymerase chain reaction. Such coupling of the ligase detection reaction and the polymerase chain reaction permits multiplex detection of nucleic acid sequence differences.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 34 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:137028 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Antisense oligonucleotides which combat aberrant splicing and methods of using the same  
INVENTOR(S): Kole, Ryszard, Chapel Hill, NC, United States  
Dominski, Zbigniew, Chapel Hill, NC, United States  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5976879		19991102
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1999-302390		19990430 (9)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation of Ser. No. US 1997-802384, filed on 19 Feb 1997, now patented, Pat. No. US 5916808 which is a continuation of Ser. No. US 1995-453224, filed on 30 May 1995, now patented, Pat. No. US 5627274 which is a division of Ser. No. US 1995-379079, filed on 26 Jan 1995, now patented, Pat. No. US 5665593 which is a continuation of Ser. No. US 1993-62471, filed on 11 May 1993, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	LeGuyader, John L.		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Myers Bigel Sibley & Sajovec		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	13		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	4 Drawing Figure(s); 4 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	894		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB A method of combatting aberrant splicing in a pre-mRNA molecule containing a mutation is disclosed. When present in the pre-mRNA, the mutation causes the pre-mRNA to splice incorrectly and produce an aberrant mRNA or mRNA fragment different from the mRNA ordinarily encoded by the pre-mRNA. The method comprises hybridizing an antisense oligonucleotide to the pre-mRNA molecule to create a duplex molecule under conditions which permit splicing. The antisense oligonucleotide is one which does not activate RNase H, and is selected to block a member of the aberrant set of splice elements created by the mutation so that the native intron is removed by splicing and the first mRNA molecule encoding a native protein is produced. Oligonucleotides useful for carrying out the method are also disclosed.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 35 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:110192 USPATFULL

TITLE: Methods using exogenous, internal controls and analogue blocks during nucleic acid amplification

INVENTOR(S): Aoyagi, Kazuko, Emeryville, CA, United States  
Livak, Kenneth J., San Jose, CA, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): The Perkin Elmer Corporation, Foster City, CA, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5952202		19990914
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1998-48880		19980326 (9)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Horlick, Kenneth R.		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Siew, Jeffrey		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Bortner, Scott R.		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	18		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	9 Drawing Figure(s); 11 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	1431		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Reporter-quencher probe assays of nucleic acid amplification, such as PCR, are rendered more meaningful by the addition of internal control reagents. An internal control polynucleotide is amplified with internal control primers and the product is measured by correlation with increased fluorescence by polymerase mediated-exonuclease cleavage or hybridization of the internal control probe. Probes specific for target and internal control polynucleotides are labelled with spectrally resolvable reporters, allowing for concurrent detection and measurement of target and control amplification. A kit of all PCR reagents can be dispensed into reaction chambers in a high-throughput system for rapid and accurate nucleic acid amplification assay, with real-time or end-point measurements. Fluorescent signals correlated to target and internal control levels are spectrally resolvable and measured concurrently. A non-extending oligonucleotide or nucleic analog "block", complementary to the internal control polynucleotide, is added to the amplification mixture to preclude amplification of the internal control polynucleotide and function as an internal negative control. The amplification control reagents, kits, and methods of the present invention provide positive and negative control tests occurring within, and measurable within, the reaction chamber.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 36 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:72501 USPATFULL

TITLE: Antisense oligonucleotides which combat aberrant splicing and methods of using the same

INVENTOR(S): Kole, Ryszard, Chapel Hill, NC, United States  
Dominski, Zbigniew, Chapel Hill, NC, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5916808		19990629
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-802384		19970219 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation of Ser. No. US 1995-453224, filed on 30 May 1995, now patented, Pat. No. US 5627274 which is a division of Ser. No. US 1995-379079, filed on 26 Jan 1995, now patented, Pat. No. US 5665593 which is a continuation of Ser. No. US 1993-62471, filed on 11 May 1993, now abandoned		



DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility  
FILE SEGMENT: Granted  
PRIMARY EXAMINER: LeGuyader, John L.  
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Myers Bigel Sibley & Sajovec  
NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 13  
EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1  
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 4 Drawing Figure(s); 4 Drawing Page(s)  
LINE COUNT: 880

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB A method of combatting aberrant splicing in a pre-mRNA molecule containing a mutation is disclosed. When present in the pre-mRNA, the mutation causes the pre-mRNA to splice incorrectly and produce an aberrant mRNA or mRNA fragment different from the mRNA ordinarily encoded by the pre-mRNA. The method comprises hybridizing an antisense oligonucleotide to the pre-mRNA molecule to create a duplex molecule under conditions which permit splicing. The antisense oligonucleotide is one which does not activate RNase H, and is selected to block a member of the aberrant set of splice elements created by the mutation so that the native intron is removed by splicing and the first mRNA molecule encoding a native protein is produced. Oligonucleotides useful for carrying out the method are also disclosed.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 37 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:15694 USPATFULL

TITLE: Nucleic acid amplification oligonucleotides with molecular energy transfer labels and methods based thereon

INVENTOR(S): Nazarenko, Irina A., Gaithersburg, MD, United States  
Bhatnagar, Satish K., Gaithersburg, MD, United States  
Winn-Deen, Emily S., Potomac, MD, United States  
Hohman, Robert J., Gaithersburg, MD, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Oncor, Inc., Gaithersburg, MD, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5866336		19990202
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-778487		19970103 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1996-683667, filed on 16 Jul 1996, now abandoned		

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility  
FILE SEGMENT: Granted  
PRIMARY EXAMINER: Horlick, Kenneth R.  
ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Tung, Joyce  
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Cohen, Jonathan M. Oncor, Inc.  
NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 38  
EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1  
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 46 Drawing Figure(s); 34 Drawing Page(s)  
LINE COUNT: 3045

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention provides labeled nucleic acid amplification oligonucleotides, which can be linear or hairpin primers or blocking oligonucleotides. The oligonucleotides of the invention are labeled with donor and/or acceptor moieties of molecular energy transfer pairs. The moieties can be fluorophores, such that fluorescent energy emitted by the donor is absorbed by the acceptor. The acceptor may be a fluorophore that fluoresces at a wavelength different from the donor moiety, or it may be a quencher. The oligonucleotides of the invention are configured so that a donor moiety and an acceptor moiety are incorporated into the amplification product. The invention also provides methods and kits for directly detecting amplification products employing the nucleic acid amplification primers. When labeled linear primers are used, treatment with exonuclease or by using specific temperature eliminates the need

for separation of unincorporated primers. This "closed-tube" format greatly reduces the possibility of carryover contamination with amplification products, provides for high throughput of samples, and may be totally automated.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 38 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:1787 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Oligonucleotides specific for hepatitis B virus  
INVENTOR(S): Frank, Bruce L., Marlborough, MA, United States  
Roberts, Peter C., Holliston, MA, United States  
Goodchild, John, Westborough, MA, United States  
Craig, J. Charles, Welwyn Garden, United Kingdom  
Mills, John S., Welwyn Garden, United Kingdom  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Hybridon, Inc., Cambridge, MA, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5856459		19990105
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1995-468352		19950606 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Division of Ser. No. US 1995-467397, filed on 6 Jun 1995, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Ketter, James		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Brusca, John S.		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Hale and Dorr LLP		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	21		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	17 Drawing Figure(s); 11 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	1710		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention discloses synthetic oligonucleotides complementary to contiguous and noncontiguous regions of the HBV RNA. Also disclosed are methods and kits for inhibiting the replication and expression of HBV, and for treating HBV infections and associated conditions.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 39 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:154041 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Methods for detecting the RNA component of telomerase  
INVENTOR(S): Kim, Nam Woo, San Jose, CA, United States  
Wu, Fred, San Carlos, CA, United States  
Kealey, James T., San Anselmo, CA, United States  
Pruzan, Ronald, Palo Alto, CA, United States  
Weinrich, Scott L., Redwood City, CA, United States  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Geron Corporation, Menlo Park, CA, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5846723		19981208
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1996-770565		19961220 (8)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Jones, W. Gary		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Rees, Dianne		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Kaster, Kevin R., Storella, John R., Parent, Annette S.		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	38		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	1 Drawing Figure(s); 1 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	1685		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Methods of detecting the RNA component of telomerase, diagnosing cancer, and determining its prognosis using polynucleotides that hybridize to the RNA component of mammalian telomerase in a sample.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 40 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:11870 USPATFULL

TITLE: Rolling circle synthesis of oligonucleotides and amplification of select randomized circular oligonucleotides

INVENTOR(S): Kool, Eric T., Rochester, NY, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): University of Rochester, Rochester, NY, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5714320		19980203
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1995-393439		19950223 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1993-47860, filed on 15 Apr 1993, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Jones, W. Gary		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Rees, Dianne		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Muetting, Raasch, Gebhardt & Schwappach, P.A.		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	47		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	2 Drawing Figure(s); 2 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	2583		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB The present invention provides methods for synthesis, selection, and amplification of DNA and RNA oligonucleotides and analogs. The method for synthesizing an oligonucleotide involves: providing an effective amount of an isolated circular oligonucleotide template which comprises at least one copy of the desired oligonucleotide sequence linked to a cleavage site; providing an effective amount of an isolated oligonucleotide primer; annealing the primer to the circular template to form a primed circular template; and combining the primed circular template with an effective amount of at least two types of nucleotide triphosphates and an effective amount of a polymerase enzyme to form a nucleotide multimer complementary to the circular oligonucleotide template, wherein the nucleotide multimer comprises multiple copies of the oligonucleotide sequence joined end to end. Preferably, the nucleotide multimer is cleaved to produce oligonucleotides having well-defined ends.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 41 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 97:81145 USPATFULL

TITLE: Antisense oligonucleotides which combat aberrant splicing and methods of using the same

INVENTOR(S): Kole, Ryszard, Orange County, NC, United States  
Dominski, Zbigniew, Orange County, NC, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5665593		19970909
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1995-379079		19950126 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation of Ser. No. US 1993-62471, filed on 11 May 1993, now abandoned		

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility  
FILE SEGMENT: Granted  
PRIMARY EXAMINER: Rories, Charles C. P.  
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Bell, Seltzer, Park & Gibson  
NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 13  
EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1  
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 4 Drawing Figure(s); 4 Drawing Page(s)  
LINE COUNT: 865

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB A method of combatting aberrant splicing in a pre-mRNA molecule containing a mutation is disclosed. When present in the pre-mRNA, the mutation causes the pre-mRNA to splice incorrectly and produce an aberrant mRNA or mRNA fragment different from the mRNA ordinarily encoded by the pre-mRNA. The method comprises hybridizing an antisense oligonucleotide to the pre-mRNA molecule to create a duplex molecule under conditions which permit splicing. The antisense oligonucleotide is one which does not activate RNase H, and is selected to block a member of the aberrant set of splice elements created by the mutation so that the native intron is removed by splicing and the first mRNA molecule encoding a native protein is produced. Oligonucleotides useful for carrying out the method are also disclosed.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 42 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 97:38617 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Antisense oligonucleotides which combat aberrant splicing and methods of using the same  
INVENTOR(S): Kole, Ryszard, Chapel Hill, NC, United States  
Dominski, Zbigniew, Chapel Hill, NC, United States  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5627274		19970506
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1995-453224		19950530 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Division of Ser. No. US 1995-379079, filed on 26 Jan 1995 which is a continuation of Ser. No. US 1993-62471, filed on 11 May 1993, now abandoned		

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility  
FILE SEGMENT: Granted  
PRIMARY EXAMINER: Rories, Charles C. P.  
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Bell, Seltzer, Park & Gibson  
NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 4  
EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1  
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 4 Drawing Figure(s); 4 Drawing Page(s)  
LINE COUNT: 834

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB A method of combatting aberrant splicing in a pre-mRNA molecule containing a mutation is disclosed. When present in the pre-mRNA, the mutation causes the pre-mRNA to splice incorrectly and produce an aberrant mRNA or mRNA fragment different from the mRNA ordinarily encoded by the pre-mRNA. The method comprises hybridizing an antisense oligonucleotide to the pre-mRNA molecule to create a duplex molecule under conditions which permit splicing. The antisense oligonucleotide is one which does not activate RNase H, and is selected to block a member of the aberrant set of splice elements created by the mutation so that the native intron is removed by splicing and the first mRNA molecule encoding a native protein is produced. Oligonucleotides useful for carrying out the method are also disclosed.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 43 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 97:12340 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Method for enzymatic synthesis of oligonucleotides  
INVENTOR(S): Hyman, Edward D., 2100 Sawmill Rd., River Ridge, LA,  
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	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5602000		19970211
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1995-464778		19950623 (8)
DISCLAIMER DATE:	20121223		
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1993-161224, filed on 2 Dec 1993, now patented, Pat. No. US 5516664, issued on 14 May 1996 Ser. No. US 1993-100671, filed on 30 Jul 1993 And Ser. No. US 1992-995791, filed on 23 Dec 1992, now patented, Pat. No. US 5436143, issued on 25 Jul 1995		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Jones, W. Gary		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Rees, Dianne		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Oppedahl & Larson		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	29		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	13 Drawing Figure(s); 10 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	2002		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Enzymatic synthesis of oligonucleotides is performed by the steps of:  
(a) combining a primer and a blocked nucleotide in the presence of a chain extending enzyme to form a primer-blocked nucleotide product containing the blocked nucleotide coupled to the primer at its 3'-end;  
(b) removing the blocking group from the 3' end of the primer-blocked nucleotide product; and (c) repeating the cycle of steps (a) and (b), using the primer-nucleotide product of step (b) as the primer for step (a) in the next cycle, for sufficient cycles to form the oligonucleotide product. Cycles may optionally include the step of converting any unreacted blocked nucleotide to an unreactive form which is substantially less active as a substrate for the chain extending enzyme. Cycles may also include the step of removing the blocking group from unreacted blocked nucleotide. This step is unnecessary, however, when the same nucleotide is added in two or more successive cycles. The synthetic cycles are preferably performed in a single vessel without intermediate purification of oligonucleotide product.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 44 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 97:3689 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Amplification of nucleic acid sequences  
INVENTOR(S): Bhatnagar, Satish K., Gaithersburg, MD, United States  
George, Jr., Albert L., Gaithersburg, MD, United States  
Nazarenko, Irina, Gaithersburg, MD, United States  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Oncor, Inc., Gaithersburg, MD, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5593840		19970114
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1995-461823		19950605 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1993-168621, filed on 16 Dec 1993 which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1993-10433, filed on 27 Jan 1993, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Sisson, Bradley L.		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Fredman, Jeffrey		

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Karta, Glenn E.  
NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 59  
EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1  
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 18 Drawing Figure(s); 18 Drawing Page(s)  
LINE COUNT: 2023

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB A process for amplifying nucleic acid sequences from a DNA or RNA template which may be purified, or may exist in a mixture of nucleic acids. The resulting nucleic acid sequences may be exact copies of the template, or may be modified. The process has advantages over prior art amplification processes in that it increases the fidelity of copying a specific nucleic acid sequence, and it allows one to more efficiently detect a particular point mutation in a single assay.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 45 OF 53 LIFESCI COPYRIGHT 2003 CSA DUPLICATE 3  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 96:110873 LIFESCI  
TITLE: Antisense oligonucleotides inhibit in vitro cDNA synthesis by HIV-1 reverse transcriptase  
AUTHOR: Boiziau, C.; Tarrago-Litvak, L.; Sinha, N.D.; Moreau, S.; Litvak, S.; Toulme, J.-J.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: INSERM U386, Lab. de Biophysique Moleculaire, Univ. Bordeaux II 33076 Bordeaux Cedex, France  
SOURCE: ANTISENSE NUCLEIC ACID DRUG DEV., (1996) vol. 6, no. 2, pp. 103-109.  
ISSN: 1087-2906.  
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LANGUAGE: English  
SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

AB The inhibition of reverse transcription by various chemically modified antisense oligonucleotides was studied in a cell-free system, composed of an RNA template, a **primer** oligodeoxynucleotide, and the HIV-1 reverse transcriptase (RT). Different mechanisms of inhibition were observed depending on the chemical structure of the antisense molecule. (1) The hybridization of 2'-O-allyl oligonucleotide to the RNA template promotes a physical arrest of the polymerase. (2) The antisense effect of phosphodiester or phosphorothioate oligonucleotides is essentially due to the RNase H-mediated cleavage of the RNA. (3) A third mechanism was observed with phosphorothioate oligonucleotides that directly interact with the enzyme. Chimeric oligonucleotides, composed of an unmodified region flanked by 2'-O-methyl groups, led to less efficient inhibition than the parent unmodified oligomer, although the inhibitory mechanism was the same. No inhibitory effect was detected when alpha or methylphosphonate oligomers were used.

L2 ANSWER 46 OF 53 USPATFULL  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 95:67136 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Method for enzymatic synthesis of oligonucleotides  
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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5436143		19950725
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CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

AB Enzymatic synthesis of oligonucleotides may be performed in a single vessel without intermediate purification, by the steps of:

(a) combining a nucleotide primer sequence and a blocked nucleotide in the presence of a chain extending enzyme whereby a reaction mixture is formed containing the blocked nucleotide coupled to the nucleotide primer sequence at its 3' end;

(b) inactivating the chain extending enzyme;

(c) removing the blocking group from the primer-blocked nucleotide to form a primer-nucleotide product; and converting any unreacted blocked nucleotide to an unreactive form which is substantially less active as a substrate for the chain extending enzyme than the blocked nucleotide.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L2 ANSWER 47 OF 53 EMBASE COPYRIGHT 2003 ELSEVIER SCI. B.V.DUPLICATE 4

ACCESSION NUMBER: 91212953 EMBASE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 1991212953

TITLE: Structural analyses of the 7SK ribonucleoprotein (RNP), the most abundant human small RNP of unknown function.

AUTHOR: Wassarman D.A.; Steitz J.A.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Dept. of Molecular Biophysics, Howard Hughes Medical Inst., Yale Univ. School of Medicine, 333 Cedar Street, New Haven, CT 06510-8024, United States

SOURCE: Molecular and Cellular Biology, (1991) 11/7 (3432-3445).  
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SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

AB The human 7SK ribonucleoprotein (RNP) has been analyzed to determine its RNA secondary structure and protein constituents. HeLa cell 7SK RNA alone and within its RNP have been probed by chemical modification and enzymatic cleavage, and sites of modification or cleavage have been mapped by primer extension. The resulting secondary structure suggests that structural determinants necessary for capping (a 5' stem followed by the sequence AUPuUPuC) and nuclear migration (the sequence AUPuUPuC) of 7SK RNA may be similar to those for U6 small nuclear RNA (snRNA). It also supports existence of a 3' stem structure which could serve to self-prime cDNA synthesis during pseudogene formation. Oligonucleotide-directed RNase H digestion indicated regions of 7SK RNA capable of base pairing with other nucleic acids. Antisense 2'-O-methyl RNA oligonucleotides were used to affinity select the 7SK RNP from an in vivo 35S-labeled cell sonic extract and identify eight associated proteins of 83, 48, 45, 43, 42, 21, 18, and 13 kDa. 7SK RNA has extensive sequence complementarity to U4 snRNA, within the U4/U6 base pairing domain, and also to U11 snRNA. The possibility that the 7SK RNP is an unrecognized component of the pre-mRNA processing machinery is discussed.

L2 ANSWER 48 OF 53 BIOSIS COPYRIGHT 2003 BIOLOGICAL ABSTRACTS INC.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1983:212781 BIOSIS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: BA75:62781

TITLE: TEMPLATE ACTIVITY OF POLY-2'-FLUORO-2'-DEOXY INOSINIC-ACID FOR MURINE LEUKEMIA VIRUS REVERSE TRANSCRIPTASE.

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SOURCE: CANCER LETT, (1982) 16 (2), 129-136.

CODEN: CALEDQ. ISSN: 0304-3835.

FILE SEGMENT: BA; OLD

LANGUAGE: English

AB The 2'-substituted analog of poly(I)n, poly(2'-fluoro-2'-deoxyinosinic acid) [(dIfI)n] served as an effective template for the RNA-directed DNA polymerase (reverse transcriptase) from Moloney murine leukemia virus. When assayed under the same conditions, the parent compound (I)n showed little, if any, template activity. In the presence of other templates, i.e., poly(2'-O-methylcytidylic acid), (dIfI)n could also assume the role of primer for the reverse transcriptase reaction, again, (I)n failed to do so.

L2 ANSWER 49 OF 53 MEDLINE DUPLICATE 5

ACCESSION NUMBER: 81054690 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 81054690 PubMed ID: 6933444

TITLE: Both the 7-methyl and the 2'-O-methyl groups in the cap of mRNA strongly influence its ability to act as primer for influenza virus RNA transcription.

AUTHOR: Bouloy M; Plotch S J; Krug R M

CONTRACT NUMBER: AI 11772 (NIAID)

CA 08748 (NCI)

TW 02590-01 (FIC)

SOURCE: PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, (1980 Jul) 77 (7) 3952-6.  
Journal code: 7505876. ISSN: 0027-8424.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LANGUAGE: English

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AB The ability of eukaryotic mRNAs to serve as primers for influenza virus RNA transcription depends on the presence of a 5'-terminal methylated cap structure, the absence of which eliminates essentially all priming activity [Plotch, S. J., Bouloy, M. & Krug, R. M. (1979) Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 76, 1618-1622]. The present study was undertaken to determine the extent to which each of the methyl groups in the cap influences the priming activity of a mRNA. To assess the importance of the 2'-O-methyl group on the penultimate base of the cap, we used several plant viral RNAs containing the monomethylated cap 0 structure, m7GpppG. Brome mosaic virus (BMV) RNA 4 stimulated influenza virus RNA transcription only about 10-15% as effectively as did globin mRNA, which has a cap with a 2'-O-methyl group. When the cap of BMV RNA 4 was enzymatically 2'-O-methylated, its priming activity was increased 14-fold. Qualitatively similar results were obtained with other plant virus RNAs. To assess the importance of the terminal 7-methyl group, BMV RNA 4 containing the cap structure GpppGm was prepared by a series of chemical and enzymatic steps. These molecules were found to be only about 15% as active in priming as BMV RNA 4 molecules containing the fully methylated cap, m7GpppGm, indicating that the terminal 7-methyl group also strongly enhances priming activity. These results indicate that the cap 1 structure (m7GpppXm) found in all mammalian cellular mRNAs is more stringently required for priming influenza virus RNA transcription than for translation in cell-free systems.

L2 ANSWER 50 OF 53 BIOSIS COPYRIGHT 2003 BIOLOGICAL ABSTRACTS INC.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1980:127401 BIOSIS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: BA69:2397

TITLE: TOTAL SYNTHESIS OF A TYROSINE SUPPRESSOR TRANSFER RNA GENE  
17. TRANSCRIPTION IN-VITRO OF THE SYNTHETIC GENE AND  
PROCESSING OF THE PRIMARY TRANSCRIPT TO TRANSFER RNA.

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CORPORATE SOURCE: BIOL. DIV., NATL. CANCER CENT. RES. INST., TSUKIJI 5-CHOME,



SOURCE: CHUO, TOKYO, JPN.  
J BIOL CHEM, (1979) 254 (13), 5802-5816.  
CODEN: JBCHA3. ISSN: 0021-9258.

FILE SEGMENT: BA; OLD  
LANGUAGE: English

AB Primer- and promoter-dependent transcription of the synthetic [Escherichia coli] gene was studied. Primer-dependent transcription gave, as a major product, an end-to-end transcript which was strand-specific. The transcript was characterized rigorously by 2-dimensional separation and analysis of the oligonucleotides formed on digestion with T1-RNase and pancreatic RNase and by nearest neighbor analyses of the oligonucleotides obtained when different .alpha.-32P-labeled ribonucleoside triphosphates were used as substrates. Minor products accompanying the major transcript were characterized similarly. The major transcript, when treated with an E. coli S-100 extract, was processed to the tRNATyr with correct 5'- and 3'-ends. The nucleolytic cleavages occurring at the 3'-end were characterized. In promoter-dependent transcription, transcription of a restriction fragment containing **\*\*GRAPHIC\*\***. gene and the synthetic gene with and without the promoter were compared. Transcription of the synthetic gene was promoter-dependent and strand-specific, the initiation of transcription occurring at the same point as previously found in vivo. Although the synthetic gene contains only 16 base pairs corresponding to the natural sequence following the C-C-A end, processing of the transcript at the 3'-end occurred normally, the endonucleolytic cleavage being followed by exonucleolytic cleavages. The products of promoter-dependent transcription were completely characterized. An examination of the base modifications of the primary transcript during treatment of the latter with E. coli S-100 extract showed complete modification of uridine to pseudouridine and partial methylation of uridine to ribosylthymine in T.psi.CG sequence and partial formation of pseudouridine in the anticodon loop. Hardly any formation of 2'-O-methylguanosine or of 2-methylthio-6-isopentenyl adenosine was detected.

L2 ANSWER 51 OF 53 MEDLINE

ACCESSION NUMBER: 78211153 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 78211153 PubMed ID: 78724

TITLE: Template-specific requirements for DNA synthesis by the Mason-Pfizer monkey virus DNA polymerase: unique aspects.

AUTHOR: Marcus S L; Sarkar N H; Modak M J

SOURCE: BIOCHIMICA ET BIOPHYSICA ACTA, (1978 Jul 24) 519 (2) 317-30.

Journal code: 0217513. ISSN: 0006-3002.

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AB The biochemical properties of DNA polymerase purified from Mason-Pfizer monkey virus were studied, with respect to synthetic and natural template-primer utilization. These studies revealed the following new information about the Mason-Pfizer monkey virus enzyme: (a) Mason-Pfizer monkey virus polymerase was found to prefer template: **primer** molar nucleotide ratios of 2.5-5: 1 for optimal rates of synthesis with poly(C) .(dG)12-18 as template-**primer**. (b) Poly(A)-directed synthesis was stimulated by the addition of low concentrations of inorganic phosphate to the reaction mixture. (c) Poly(2' - **O-methyl**-cytidylate), poly(rCm), was the only template studied for which Mn2+ proved the preferred divalent cation. Combinations of divalent cations stimulated rather than inhibited poly(rCm)-directed poly(dG) synthesis by the Mason-Pfizer monkey virus enzyme. (d) Heteropolymeric regions of rabbit globin mRNA and avian myeloblastosis virus 70 S RNA could be copied by the Mason-Pfizer monkey virus polymerase

with oligo(dT), oligo(U) or in the case of avian myeloblastosis virus RNA, endogenous primers. In all such studies, Mg<sup>2+</sup> was the preferred divalent cation and a distinct preference for the DNA primer in the reverse transcription of natural RNAs was observed. These new findings necessitated comparative studies with the DNA polymerases from Rauscher murine leukemia virus and murine mammary tumor virus, as representative type C and type B retroviruses. Although the Mason-Pfizer monkey virus enzyme was found to share some properties in common with both type C and type B mammalian viral enzymes, certain of the above properties rendered it unique among the polymerases examined.

L2 ANSWER 52 OF 53 EMBASE COPYRIGHT 2003 ELSEVIER SCI. B.V.DUPLICATE 6  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 78142532 EMBASE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 1978142532  
TITLE: Reovirus specific enzyme(s) associated with subviral particles responds in vitro to polyribocytidylate to yield double stranded polyribocytidylate. polyriboguanylate.  
AUTHOR: Gomatos P.J.; Kuechenthal I.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Sloan Kettering Mem. Cancer Cent., New York, N.Y. 10021, United States  
SOURCE: Journal of Virology, (1977) 23/1 (80-90).  
CODEN: JOVIAM  
COUNTRY: United States  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
FILE SEGMENT: 047 Virology  
029 Clinical Biochemistry  
LANGUAGE: English

AB In reovirus-infected cells, virus-specific particles accumulate that have associated with them a polyribocytidylate [poly(C)]-dependent polymerase. This enzyme copies in vitro poly(C) to yield the double-stranded poly(C)-polyriboguanylate [poly(G)]. The particles with poly(C)-dependent polymerase were heterogeneous in size, with most sedimenting from 300S to 550S. Exponential increase in these particles began at 23 h, and maximal amounts were present by 31 h, the time of onset of exponential growth of virus at 30.degree.C. Maximal amounts of particles with active transcriptase and replicase were present at 15 and 18 h after infection. Thereafter, there was a marked decrease in particles with active transcriptase and replicase until base line levels were reached at 31 h. Thus, the increase in poly(C)-responding particles occurred coincident with the decrease in particles with active transcriptase and replicase. The requirement for poly(C) as template was specific because no RNA was synthesized in vitro in response to any other homopolymer, including 2'-O methyl-poly(C). Synthesis was optimal in the presence of Mn<sup>2+</sup>, as the divalent cation, and no primer was necessary for synthesis. In contrast, the dinucleotide GpG markedly stimulated synthesis in the presence of 8 mM Mg<sup>2+</sup>. The size of the poly(C)-poly(G) synthesized in vitro was dependent on the size of the poly(C) used as template. This suggested that the whole template was copied into a complementary strand of similar size. The T(m) of the product was between 100 and 130.degree.C. Hydrolysis of the product labeled in [32P]GMP with alkali or RNase T2 yielded GMP as the only labeled mononucleotide. This does indicate that the synthesis of the poly(G) strand in vitro did not proceed by end addition to the poly(C) template, but proceeded on a separate strand.

L2 ANSWER 53 OF 53 BIOSIS COPYRIGHT 2003 BIOLOGICAL ABSTRACTS INC.  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1975:196551 BIOSIS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: BA60:26547  
TITLE: POLY-2-O METHYL CYTIDYLATE  
OLIGO DEOXY GUANYLATE A TEMPLATE PRIMER SPECIFIC  
FOR REVERSE TRANSCRIPTASE IS NOT UTILIZED BY HELA CELL  
GAMMA DNA POLYMERASES.  
AUTHOR(S): GERARD G F  
SOURCE: BIOCHEM BIOPHYS RES COMMUN, (1975) 63 (3), 706-711.  
CODEN: BBRCA9. ISSN: 0006-291X.

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L2 ANSWER 6 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:64696 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Amplification using modified primers  
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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 2003044817	A1	20030306
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LINE COUNT:	1272	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

SUMM [0015] In one embodiment, the methods involve the use of a modified **primer** consisting essentially of an oligonucleotide in which at least one of the three 3' terminal nucleotides is a modified nucleotide selected from the group consisting of 2'-O-methyl-nucleotides, 2'-amino-nucleotides, and 2'-fluoro-nucleotides.

SUMM [0043] The 2'-O-methyl-ribonucleotides, 2'-deoxy-2'-amino-nucleotides, and 2'-deoxy-2'-fluoro-nucleotides, relative to a typical oligodeoxynucleotide **primer**, contain bulkier side groups bound to C-2 of the sugar. It is likely that the side group sterically interferes with the binding of the enzyme to the **primer**-target duplex, but not enough to preclude extension. This suggests that additional side groups of similar bulk would have a similar.

DETD . . . containing additional upstream modified nucleotides, the terminal two or three nucleotides are shown, as needed. Thus, for example, an upstream **primer** identified as 2'omeG refers to a **primer** having sequence SK145+G (SEQ ID NO: 3), wherein the 3' terminal nucleotide is a 2'-O-methyl-guanosine. Analogously, a upstream **primer** identified as 2'omeA-dA refers to a **primer** having sequence SK145-T (SEQ ID NO: 1), wherein the 3' penultimate nucleotide is a 2'-O-methyl-adenosine and the 3' terminal nucleotide is an unmodified adenosine.

DETD . . . has a greater impact on the target amplification in a Mg.sup.+2 buffer than in a Mn.sup.+2 buffer. In particular, a 2'-O-methyl-A at the 3' terminus of the **primer** significantly delays the amplification of target under these reaction conditions.

CLM What is claimed is:

. . . for carrying out a nucleic acid amplification reaction, wherein said kit comprises a pair of primers, wherein a least one **primer** of said pair contains a modified nucleotide within the three 3' terminal nucleotide positions; wherein said modified nucleotide is selected from the group consisting of 2'-O-methyl nucleotides, 2'-fluoro-nucleotides, 2'-amino nucleotides, and arabinose

nucleotides.

10. A kit of claim 1, wherein each **primer** of said pair of primers independently contains a modified nucleotide within the three 3' terminal nucleotide positions; wherein said modified nucleotide is selected from the group consisting of 2'-O-methyl nucleotides, 2'-fluoro-nucleotides, 2'-amino nucleotides, and arabinose nucleotides.

11. A method for amplifying a nucleic acid target sequence, wherein said method comprises carrying out a **primer**-based amplification reaction in a reaction mixture comprising a pair of primers, wherein a least one **primer** of said pair contains a modified nucleotide within the three 3' terminal nucleotide positions; wherein said modified nucleotide is selected from the group consisting of 2'-O-methyl nucleotides, 2'-fluoro-nucleotides, 2'-amino nucleotides, and arabinose nucleotides.

20. A method of claim 11, wherein each **primer** of said pair of primers independently contains a modified nucleotide within the three 3' terminal nucleotide positions; wherein said modified nucleotide is selected from the group consisting of 2'-O-methyl nucleotides, 2'-fluoro-nucleotides, 2'-amino nucleotides, and arabinose nucleotides.

L2 ANSWER 23 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:121255 USPATFULL

TITLE: Detection of nucleic acid sequence differences using coupled ligase detection and polymerase chain reactions

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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6268148	B1	20010731
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1999-440523		19991115 (9)
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EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	23	
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LINE COUNT:	3653	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DETD . . . while the other is sensitive. Only the presence of full length ligation product sequence will prevent digestion of the upstream **primer**. Blocking groups include use of a thiophosphate group and/or use of 2-O-methyl ribose sugar groups in the backbone. Exonucleases include Exo I (3'-5'), Exo III (3'-5'), and Exo IV (both 5'-3' and . . . exonuclease treatment) and formation of a ligation product sequence which is a suitable substrate for PCR amplification by the oligonucleotide **primer** set is substantially reduced. In other words, formation of ligation independent

labeled extension products is substantially reduced or eliminated.

L2 ANSWER 27 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:142135 USPATFULL  
TITLE: De novo polynucleotide synthesis using rolling templates  
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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6136568		20001024
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-929856		19970915 (8)
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NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	1 Drawing Figure(s); 1 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	2778		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DETD In general, the primers of the present invention are composed of dNTPs, rNTPs, peptide-nucleic acids (PNAs), 2'-O-methyl rNTPs, thiophosphate linkages, additions to the amines of the bases (e.g. linkers to functional groups such as biotin), non-standard bases. . . before and after a reaction with a TDP. After reacting with a TDP in the presence of the template, the **primer** is extended at its 3' end by at least one additional nucleotide, the added nucleotide(s) being complementary to the nucleotide(s). . .

L2 ANSWER 28 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:134705 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Method for amplifying target nucleic acids using modified primers  
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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6130038		20001010
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-893300		19970715 (8)

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NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	15	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	9 Drawing Figure(s); 9 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	2602	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DETD . . . intermediate in the nucleic acid amplification reaction. In this embodiment, the use of preferred 2'-modified primers, such as oligonucleotides containing 2'-O-methyl nucleotides, permits their use at a higher hybridization temperature due

to the relatively higher T.sub.m conferred to the hybrid, as. . . deoxyoligonucleotide of the same sequence. Also, due to the preference of such 2'-modified oligonucleotides for RNA over DNA, competition for **primer** molecules by non-target DNA sequences in a test sample may also be reduced. Further, in applications wherein specific RNA sequences.

CLM What is claimed is:

. . . analyte, said method comprising the steps of: a) contacting a sample suspected of containing said target analyte with an oligonucleotide **primer** under conditions such that a first nucleotide base region of said **primer** forms a stable hybrid with a second nucleotide base region of said target analyte, wherein said first nucleotide base region contains one or more ribonucleotides modified to include a 2'-O-methyl substitution to the ribofuranosyl moiety; and b) incubating said sample under conditions such that said target sequence is amplified.

5. The method of claim 1, wherein each nucleotide of said **primer** is a ribonucleotide modified to include a 2'-O-methyl substitution to the ribofuranosyl moiety.

L2 ANSWER 29 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:121279 USPATFULL

TITLE: Nucleic acid amplification oligonucleotides with molecular energy transfer labels and methods based thereon

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Winn-Deen, Emily S., Potomac, MD, United States  
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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6117635		20000912
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-837034		19970411 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1997-778487, filed on 3 Jan 1997, now patented, Pat. No. US 5866336 which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1996-683667, filed on 16 Jul 1996, now abandoned		

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CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DRWD FIG. 7 illustrates schematically triamplification using two linear primers, each labeled with a FRET moiety. BL, blocker; R, reverse **primer**; F, forward **primer**; .box-solid., a commercially available 3' modifying group able to protect the oligonucleotide from extension by DNA polymerase or hydrolysis by 3'-5' exonuclease on the 3' end of the blocker; X, 2'-O-methyl -modification in reverse **primer**; D, donor fluorophore; A.largecircle., acceptor fluorophore.

DRWD . . . the effect of (A) 3'-5' exonuclease and (B) elevated temperature on unincorporated FRET-labeled primers during triamplification. BL, blocker; R, reverse **primer**; F, forward **primer**; P, 5' phosphate; .box-solid., protection group on 3'-end of blocker; X, 2'-O-methyl-modification in

reverse **primer**; D, donor fluorophore; A.largecircle., acceptor fluorophore.

DETD . . . Preferably, blocker is used at a 1.2 to 2-fold higher concentration than the concentration of forward and reverse primers. The **primer** complementary to the blocker preferably is modified to prevent strand displacement during amplification; in a preferred embodiment, this **primer** contains 2'-O-methyl at the position complementary to the 5' end of the blocker in order to prevent strand displacement.

DETD Three oligodeoxynucleotides complementary to segments of human prostate specific antigen (PSA) DNA were synthesized (FIG. 12). Reverse **primer** contained a 2'-O-methyl moiety at a position complementary to the 5'-end of the blocker. This modification was essential for prevention of strand displacement. . . . order to protect it from 3'-5' hydrolysis and from undesirable extension during amplification. During the synthesis of blocker and forward **primer**, the primary amino group was incorporated on the modified T-base (Amino-Modifier C6 dT) as described by Ju et al. (1995,. . . and FAM (as a donor) and rhodamine (as an acceptor) were attached to a modified thymidine residue of the reverse **primer** and blocker, respectively, by the method published by Ju et al. (1995, Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 92:4347-4351). Labeled oligonucleotides. . .

L2 ANSWER 30 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:98562 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Circular DNA vectors for synthesis of RNA and DNA  
INVENTOR(S): Kool, Eric T., Rochester, NY, United States  
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PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6096880		20000801
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-805631		19970226 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1995-393439, filed on 23 Feb 1995, now patented, Pat. No. US 5714320 which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1993-47860, filed on 15 Apr 1993, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Elliot, George C.		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	McGarry, Sean		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Muetting, Raasch & Gebhardt, P.A.		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	31		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	8 Drawing Figure(s); 6 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	3103		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DETD . . . the synthesis of DNA and RNA oligomers, and synthetically modified analogs thereof such as, for example, DNA phosphorothioates, RNA phosphorothioates, 2'-O-methyl ribonucleotides, involves these general steps: (1) providing an effective amount of a single-stranded oligonucleotide circular template and, in the case of DNA synthesis, an effective amount of a single-stranded oligonucleotide **primer**; (2) in the case of DNA synthesis, annealing the oligonucleotide **primer** to the oligonucleotide circular template to form a primed circular template; (3) combining the circular template (the primed template in. . .

L2 ANSWER 31 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:91707 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Nucleic acid amplification oligonucleotides with molecular energy transfer labels and methods based thereon  
INVENTOR(S): Nazarenko, Irina A., Gaithersburg, MD, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Bhatnagar, Satish K., Gaithersburg, MD, United States  
Winn-Deen, Emily S., Potomac, MD, United States  
Hohman, Robert J., Gaithersburg, MD, United States  
Intergen Company, Purchase, NY, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6090552		20000718
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-891516		19970711 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1997-837034, filed on 11 Apr 1997 which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1997-778487, filed on 3 Jan 1997, now patented, Pat. No. US 5866336 which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1996-683667, filed on 16 Jul 1996, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Marschel, Ardin H.		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Tung, Joyce		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Foley & Lardner		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	103		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	38 Drawing Figure(s); 48 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	4617		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DRWD FIG. 7 illustrates schematically triamplification using two linear primers, each labeled with a FRET moiety. BL, blocker; R, reverse primer; F, forward primer; .box-solid., a commercially available 3' modifying group able to protect the oligonucleotide from extension by DNA polymerase or hydrolysis by 3'-5' exonuclease on the 3' end of the blocker; X, 2'-O-methyl -modification in reverse primer; D, donor fluorophore; A.smallcircle., acceptor fluorophore.

DRWD . . . the effect of (A) 3'-5' exonuclease and (B) elevated temperature on unincorporated FRET-labeled primers during triamplification. BL, blocker; R, reverse primer; F, forward primer; P, 5' phosphate; .box-solid., protection group on 3'-end of blocker; X, 2'-O-methyl-modification in reverse primer; D, donor fluorophore; A.smallcircle., acceptor fluorophore.

DETD . . . Preferably, blocker is used at a 1.2 to 2-fold higher concentration than the concentration of forward and reverse primers. The primer complementary to the blocker preferably is modified to prevent strand displacement during amplification; in a preferred embodiment, this primer contains 2'-O-methyl at the position complementary to the 5' end of the blocker in order to prevent strand displacement.

DETD Three oligodeoxynucleotides complementary to segments of human prostate specific antigen (PSA) DNA were synthesized (FIG. 12). Reverse primer contained a 2'-O-methyl moiety at a position complementary to the 5'-end of the blocker. This modification was essential for prevention of strand displacement. . . to protect it from 3'-5' exonuclease hydrolysis and from undesirable extension during amplification. During the synthesis of blocker and forward primer, the primary amino group was incorporated on the modified T-base (Amino-Modifier C6 dT) as described by Ju et al. (1995, . . . and FAM (as a donor) and rhodamine (as an acceptor) were attached to a modified thymidine residue of the reverse primer and blocker, respectively, by the method published by Ju et al. (1995, Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 92:4347-4351). Labeled oligonucleotides. .



TITLE: Highly sensitive multimeric nucleic acid probes  
 INVENTOR(S): Kool, Eric T., Rochester, NY, United States  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): University of Rochester, Rochester, NY, United States  
 (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6077668		20000620
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-910632		19970813 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1997-805631, filed on 26 Feb 1997 And Ser. No. US 1995-393439, filed on 23 Feb 1995, now patented, Pat. No. US 5714320, issued on 3 Feb 1998 which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1993-47860, filed on 15 Apr 1993, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Brusca, John S.		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	McGarry, Sean		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Mueting, Raasch & Gebhardt, P.A.		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	66		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	8 Drawing Figure(s); 8 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	3477		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DETD . . . of DNA and RNA oligomers, and synthetically modified analogs thereof such as, for example, those containing DNA phosphorothioates, RNA phosphorothioates, 2'-O-methyl ribonucleotides, involves these general steps: (1) providing an effective amount of a single-stranded oligonucleotide circular template and, in the case of DNA synthesis, an effective amount of a single-stranded oligonucleotide **primer**; (2) in the case of DNA synthesis, annealing the oligonucleotide **primer** to the oligonucleotide circular template to form a primed circular template; (3) combining the circular template (the primed template in. . .

L2 ANSWER 33 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:21383 USPATFULL  
 TITLE: Detection of nucleic acid sequence differences using coupled ligase detection and polymerase chain reactions  
 INVENTOR(S): Barany, Francis, New York, NY, United States  
 Lubin, Matthew, Rye Brook, NY, United States  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Cornell Research Foundation, Inc., Ithaca, NY, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 6027889		20000222
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-864473		19970528 (8)

	NUMBER	DATE
PRIORITY INFORMATION:	US 1996-18532P	19960529 (60)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility	
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted	
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Horlick, Kenneth R.	
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Nixon, Hargrave, Devans & Doyle LLP	
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	28	
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1	
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	45 Drawing Figure(s); 29 Drawing Page(s)	
LINE COUNT:	4414	

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DETD . . . while the other is sensitive. Only the presence of full length ligation product sequence will prevent digestion of the upstream **primer**. Blocking groups include use of a thiophosphate group and/or use of 2-O-methyl ribose sugar

groups in the backbone. Exonucleases include Exo I (3'-5'), Exo III (3'-5'), and Exo IV (both 5'-3' and. . . exonuclease treatment) and formation of a ligation product sequence which is a suitable substrate for PCR amplification by the oligonucleotide **primer** set is substantially reduced. In other words, formation of ligation independent labeled extension products is substantially reduced or eliminated.

L2 ANSWER 34 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:137028 USPATFULL  
 TITLE: Antisense oligonucleotides which combat aberrant splicing and methods of using the same  
 INVENTOR(S): Kole, Ryszard, Chapel Hill, NC, United States  
 Dominski, Zbigniew, Chapel Hill, NC, United States  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5976879		19991102
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1999-302390		19990430 (9)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation of Ser. No. US 1997-802384, filed on 19 Feb 1997, now patented, Pat. No. US 5916808 which is a continuation of Ser. No. US 1995-453224, filed on 30 May 1995, now patented, Pat. No. US 5627274 which is a division of Ser. No. US 1995-379079, filed on 26 Jan 1995, now patented, Pat. No. US 5665593 which is a continuation of Ser. No. US 1993-62471, filed on 11 May 1993, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	LeGuyader, John L.		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Myers Bigel Sibley & Sajovec		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	13		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	4 Drawing Figure(s); 4 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	894		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DETD . . . is sufficiently sensitive for easy detection in stable cell lines. The reverse transcriptase step is carried out with a 3' **primer** that hybridizes to the aberrant sequences in thalassemic mRNA and spans the splice junction. This assures that the contaminating DNA. . . do not interfere with the assay. The cloned cell lines that express thalassemic pre-mRNA are used for treatment with antisense 2'-O-methyl-oligonucleotides as described below.

L2 ANSWER 35 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:110192 USPATFULL  
 TITLE: Methods using exogenous, internal controls and analogue blocks during nucleic acid amplification  
 INVENTOR(S): Aoyagi, Kazuko, Emeryville, CA, United States  
 Livak, Kenneth J., San Jose, CA, United States  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): The Perkin Elmer Corporation, Foster City, CA, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5952202		19990914
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1998-48880		19980326 (9)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Horlick, Kenneth R.		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Siew, Jeffrey		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Bortner, Scott R.		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	18		

EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1  
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 9 Drawing Figure(s); 11 Drawing Page(s)  
LINE COUNT: 1431

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

SUMM The block may be comprised of modifications to the internucleotide linkage, the sugar, or nucleobase moieties of a DNA **primer** to render it non-extendable by polymerase. An example of a suitable modification is a 3' phosphate group. Analogs of DNA may be employed as the block, such as, 2-aminoethylglycine, peptide-nucleic acid (PNA) and other amide-linked oligomers; **2'-O-methyl** and other 2'-O-alkyl oligoribonucleotides; phosphorothioate and other phosphate analogs; and the like. The block is selected for several properties, including. . .

L2 ANSWER 36 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:72501 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Antisense oligonucleotides which combat aberrant splicing and methods of using the same  
INVENTOR(S): Kole, Ryszard, Chapel Hill, NC, United States  
Dominski, Zbigniew, Chapel Hill, NC, United States  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5916808		19990629
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1997-802384		19970219 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation of Ser. No. US 1995-453224, filed on 30 May 1995, now patented, Pat. No. US 5627274 which is a division of Ser. No. US 1995-379079, filed on 26 Jan 1995, now patented, Pat. No. US 5665593 which is a continuation of Ser. No. US 1993-62471, filed on 11 May 1993, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	LeGuyader, John L.		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Myers Bigel Sibley & Sajovec		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	13		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	4 Drawing Figure(s); 4 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	880		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DETD . . . is sufficiently sensitive for easy detection in stable cell lines. The reverse transcriptase step is carried out with a 3' **primer** that hybridizes to the aberrant sequences in thalassemic mRNA and spans the splice junction. This assures that the contaminating DNA. . . do not interfere with the assay. The cloned cell lines that express thalassemic pre-mRNA are used for treatment with antisense **2'-O-methyl**-oligonucleotides as described below.

L2 ANSWER 37 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:15694 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Nucleic acid amplification oligonucleotides with molecular energy transfer labels and methods based thereon  
INVENTOR(S): Nazarenko, Irina A., Gaithersburg, MD, United States  
Bhatnagar, Satish K., Gaithersburg, MD, United States  
Winn-Deen, Emily S., Potomac, MD, United States  
Hohman, Robert J., Gaithersburg, MD, United States  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Oncor, Inc., Gaithersburg, MD, United States (U.S. corporation)

NUMBER	KIND	DATE
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PATENT INFORMATION: US 5866336 19990202  
APPLICATION INFO.: US 1997-778487 19970103 (8)  
RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1996-683667, filed  
on 16 Jul 1996, now abandoned  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility  
FILE SEGMENT: Granted  
PRIMARY EXAMINER: Horlick, Kenneth R.  
ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Tung, Joyce  
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Cohen, Jonathan M.Oncor, Inc.  
NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 38  
EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1  
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 46 Drawing Figure(s); 34 Drawing Page(s)  
LINE COUNT: 3045

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DRWD FIG. 7 illustrates schematically triamplification using two linear primers, each labeled with a FRET moiety. BL, blocker; R, reverse primer; F, forward primer; .box-solid., a commercially available 3' modifying group able to protect the oligonucleotide from extension by DNA polymerase or hydrolysis by 3'-5' exonuclease on the 3' end of the blocker; X, 2'-O-methyl -modification in reverse primer; D, donor fluorophore; A.smallcircle., acceptor fluorophore.

DRWD . . . the effect of (A) 3'-5' exonuclease and (B) elevated temperature on unincorporated FRET-labeled primers during triamplification. BL, blocker; R, reverse primer; F, forward primer; P, 5' phosphate; .box-solid., protection group on 3'-end of blocker; X, 2'-O-methyl-modification in reverse primer; D, donor fluorophore; A.smallcircle., acceptor fluorophore.

DETD . . . Preferably, blocker is used at a 1.2 to 2-fold higher concentration than the concentration of forward and reverse primers. The primer complementary to the blocker preferably is modified to prevent strand displacement during amplification; in a preferred embodiment, this primer contains 2'-O-methyl at the position complementary to the 5' end of the blocker in order to prevent strand displacement.

DETD Three oligodeoxynucleotides complementary to segments of human prostate specific antigen (PSA) DNA were synthesized (FIG. 12). Reverse primer contained a 2'-O-methyl moiety at a position complementary to the 5'-end of the blocker. This modification was essential for prevention of strand displacement. . . to protect it from 3'-5' exonuclease hydrolysis and from undesirable extension during amplification. During the synthesis of blocker and forward primer, the primary amino group was incorporated on the modified T-base (Amino-Modifier C6 dT) as described by Ju et al. (1995, . . . and FAM (as a donor) and rhodamine (as an acceptor) were attached to a modified thymidine residue of the reverse primer and blocker, respectively, by the method published by Ju et al. (1995, Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 92:4347-4351). Labeled oligonucleotides. .

L2 ANSWER 38 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:1787 USPATFULL

TITLE:

INVENTOR(S):

Oligonucleotides specific for hepatitis B virus  
Frank, Bruce L., Marlborough, MA, United States  
Roberts, Peter C., Holliston, MA, United States  
Goodchild, John, Westborough, MA, United States  
Craig, J. Charles, Welwyn Garden, United Kingdom  
Mills, John S., Welwyn Garden, United Kingdom  
Hybridon, Inc., Cambridge, MA, United States (U.S. corporation)

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5856459		19990105

APPLICATION INFO.: US 1995-468352 19950606 (8)  
RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Division of Ser. No. US 1995-467397, filed on 6 Jun  
1995, now abandoned

DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility  
FILE SEGMENT: Granted  
PRIMARY EXAMINER: Ketter, James  
ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Brusca, John S.  
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Hale and Dorr LLP  
NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 21  
EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1  
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 17 Drawing Figure(s); 11 Drawing Page(s)  
LINE COUNT: 1710

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DETD . . . for the DNA portion of the oligonucleotide was calculated by  
using OLIGSOL (Lautenberger (1991) Biotechniques 10:778-780). The  
E.sub.260 of the 2'-O-methyl portion was  
calculated by using OLIGO 4.0 Primer Extension Software (NBI,  
Plymouth, Minn.).

L2 ANSWER 39 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:154041 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Methods for detecting the RNA component of telomerase  
INVENTOR(S): Kim, Nam Woo, San Jose, CA, United States  
Wu, Fred, San Carlos, CA, United States  
Kealey, James T., San Anselmo, CA, United States  
Pruzan, Ronald, Palo Alto, CA, United States  
Weinrich, Scott L., Redwood City, CA, United States  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Geron Corporation, Menlo Park, CA, United States (U.S.  
corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5846723		19981208
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1996-770565		19961220 (8)
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Jones, W. Gary		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Rees, Dianne		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Kaster, Kevin R., Storella, John R., Parent, Annette S.		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	38		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	1 Drawing Figure(s); 1 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	1685		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DETD . . . "21" (directed against nucleotides 137 to 166 of hTR) resulted  
in potent inhibition of hTase, as indicated by the standard  
primer elongation assay. Antisense oligonucleotides "14" and  
"16" and a "sense" oligonucleotide did not significantly affect hTase  
activity. A 20 mer antisense oligonucleotide comprised of 2'-  
o-methyl RNA directed against nucleotides 147 to 166  
of hTR also inhibited hTase. The concentration of antisense  
oligonucleotide that yielded 50% . . .

L2 ANSWER 40 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:11870 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Rolling circle synthesis of oligonucleotides and  
amplification of select randomized circular  
oligonucleotides  
INVENTOR(S): Kool, Eric T., Rochester, NY, United States  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): University of Rochester, Rochester, NY, United States  
(U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5714320		19980203

APPLICATION INFO.: US 1995-393439 19950223 (8)  
RELATED APPLN. INFO.: Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1993-47860, filed  
on 15 Apr 1993, now abandoned  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Utility  
FILE SEGMENT: Granted  
PRIMARY EXAMINER: Jones, W. Gary  
ASSISTANT EXAMINER: Rees, Dianne  
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE: Mueting, Raasch, Gebhardt & Schwappach, P.A.  
NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 47  
EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1  
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 2 Drawing Figure(s); 2 Drawing Page(s)  
LINE COUNT: 2583

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DETD . . . the synthesis of DNA and RNA oligomers, and synthetically  
modified analogs thereof, such as, for example, DNA phosphorothioates,  
RNA phosphorothioates, 2'-O-methyl  
ribonucleotides, involves these general steps: (1) providing an  
effective amount of an isolated single-stranded oligonucleotide circular  
template and an effective amount of an isolated single-stranded  
oligonucleotide **primer**; (2) annealing the oligonucleotide  
**primer** to the oligonucleotide circular template to form a primed  
circular template; (3) combining the primed circular template with an  
effective. . .

L2 ANSWER 41 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 97:81145 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Antisense oligonucleotides which combat aberrant  
splicing and methods of using the same  
INVENTOR(S): Kole, Ryszard, Orange County, NC, United States  
Dominski, Zbigniew, Orange County, NC, United States  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC, United  
States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5665593		19970909
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1995-379079		19950126 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation of Ser. No. US 1993-62471, filed on 11 May 1993, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Rories, Charles C. P.		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Bell, Seltzer, Park & Gibson		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	13		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	4 Drawing Figure(s); 4 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	865		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DETD . . . is sufficiently sensitive for easy detection in stable cell  
lines. The reverse transcriptase step is carried out with a 3'  
**primer** that hybridizes to the aberrant sequences in thalassemic  
mRNA and spans the splice junction. This assures that the contaminating  
DNA. . . do not interfere with the assay. The cloned cell lines that  
express thalassemic pre-mRNA are used for treatment with antisense  
2'-O-methyl-oligonucleotides as described  
below.

L2 ANSWER 42 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 97:38617 USPATFULL  
TITLE: Antisense oligonucleotides which combat aberrant  
splicing and methods of using the same  
INVENTOR(S): Kole, Ryszard, Chapel Hill, NC, United States  
Dominski, Zbigniew, Chapel Hill, NC, United States  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel  
Hill, NC, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5627274		19970506
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1995-453224		19950530 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Division of Ser. No. US 1995-379079, filed on 26 Jan 1995 which is a continuation of Ser. No. US 1993-62471, filed on 11 May 1993, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Rories, Charles C. P.		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Bell, Seltzer, Park & Gibson		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	4		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	4 Drawing Figure(s); 4 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	834		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DETD . . . is sufficiently sensitive for easy detection in stable cell lines. The reverse transcriptase step is carried out with a 3' **primer** that hybridizes to the aberrant sequences in thalassemic mRNA and spans the splice junction. This assures that the contaminating DNA. . . do not interfere with the assay. The cloned cell lines that express thalassemic pre-mRNA are used for treatment with antisense 2'-O-methyl-oligonucleotides as described below.

L2 ANSWER 43 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 97:12340 USPATFULL  
 TITLE: Method for enzymatic synthesis of oligonucleotides  
 INVENTOR(S): Hyman, Edward D., 2100 Sawmill Rd., River Ridge, LA, United States 70123

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5602000		19970211
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1995-464778		19950623 (8)
DISCLAIMER DATE:	20121223		
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1993-161224, filed on 2 Dec 1993, now patented, Pat. No. US 5516664, issued on 14 May 1996 Ser. No. US 1993-100671, filed on 30 Jul 1993 And Ser. No. US 1992-995791, filed on 23 Dec 1992, now patented, Pat. No. US 5436143, issued on 25 Jul 1995		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Jones, W. Gary		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Rees, Dianne		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Oppedahl & Larson		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	29		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	13 Drawing Figure(s); 10 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	2002		

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

DETD (3) If the initial **primer** contains a 3'-terminal 2'-O-methyl ribose base, then the initial **primer** can be cleaved off by incubation with RNase alpha (J. Norton et al, J. Biol. Chem., (1967), 242(9), 2029-34). RNase alpha cuts only at bases containing a 2'-O-methyl ribose sugar.

L2 ANSWER 44 OF 53 USPATFULL

ACCESSION NUMBER: 97:3689 USPATFULL  
 TITLE: Amplification of nucleic acid sequences  
 INVENTOR(S): Bhatnagar, Satish K., Gaithersburg, MD, United States  
 George, Jr., Albert L., Gaithersburg, MD, United States  
 Nazarenko, Irina, Gaithersburg, MD, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):      Oncor, Inc., Gaithersburg, MD, United States (U.S. corporation)

	NUMBER	KIND	DATE
PATENT INFORMATION:	US 5593840		19970114
APPLICATION INFO.:	US 1995-461823		19950605 (8)
RELATED APPLN. INFO.:	Continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1993-168621, filed on 16 Dec 1993 which is a continuation-in-part of Ser. No. US 1993-10433, filed on 27 Jan 1993, now abandoned		
DOCUMENT TYPE:	Utility		
FILE SEGMENT:	Granted		
PRIMARY EXAMINER:	Sisson, Bradley L.		
ASSISTANT EXAMINER:	Fredman, Jeffrey		
LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE:	Karta, Glenn E.		
NUMBER OF CLAIMS:	59		
EXEMPLARY CLAIM:	1		
NUMBER OF DRAWINGS:	18 Drawing Figure(s); 18 Drawing Page(s)		
LINE COUNT:	2023		
CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.			

DETD

Lane P                    .sup.32 P labelled **primer** (oligo 5)

Lane A1, B1, C1, and D1

.sup.32 P labelled 63 mer template.

Lane A2-A5               synthesis on control template

Lane B2-B5               synthesis on AraC template

Lane C2-C5               synthesis on 2'- O- Methyl C  
template

Lane D2-D5               synthesis on Methyl  
Phosphonate template

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COST IN U.S. DOLLARS

SINCE FILE

TOTAL

ENTRY

SESSION

FULL ESTIMATED COST

175.41

175.62

SESSION WILL BE HELD FOR 60 MINUTES

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